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| Serial No.<br>09/944,852  | Filing Date<br>August 31, 2001 | Examiner<br>Sumesh Kaushal | Group Art Unit<br>1636 |
| Inventor(s)<br>Baker, et al.  |                                |                            |                        |
| Title of Invention<br>SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING THE SAME |                                |                            |                        |

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Petition And Fee For Extension of Time (37 CFR Section 1.136(a)) and a prepaid return post card.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Petition for a 1-month extension of time.
- No additional fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below:

|   |                                  | Small Entity |                 | Other Than Small Entity |                 |
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| Total                                     | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Minus        |                 | x \$9 =                 |                 |
| Indep.                                    |                                  | Minus        |                 | x 43 =                  |                 |
| First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim |                                  |              |                 | + \$145 =               |                 |
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- I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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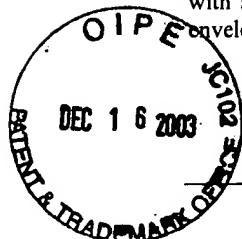
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated August 12, 2003 for a period of one (1) month(s).

Applicant:

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claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

is other than small entity

| <u>Extension<br/>Months</u>                   | <u>Other Than<br/>Small Entity</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> |
|---|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month | \$110.00                           | \$55.00             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two Months           | \$420.00                           | \$210.00            |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Four Months          | \$1,480.00                         | \$740.00            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five Months          | \$2,010.00                         | \$1,005.00          |

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Respectfully submitted,

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